

# Masses, Lifetimes and Decays of B Hadrons at the Tevatron

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## Production

- ❖ Production  $\mathcal{O}(10^5)$  larger than @  $\Upsilon_{4s}/Z^0$ 
  - though total inelastic X-section  $10^3$  bigger  $\Rightarrow$  needs adequate trigger
- ❖ All B species:  $B^+, B^0, B_s, B_c, \Lambda_b, \dots$

## Topics

- ❖ QCD
  - $J/\psi$  cross-section
  - B cross-section
  - quarkonium states
- ❖ Production, masses and lifetimes:  
 $B^+, B^0, B_s, \Lambda_b, B_c$
- ❖ Rare decays
- ❖ CP violation and mixing
  - $B_s$  mixing:  $B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s\pi$ ,  
 $B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s l\nu X$
  - $\sin(2\beta)$  in  $B^0 \rightarrow J/\psi K_s^0$
  - weak phase of  $V_{ts}$  in  $B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$
  - CP asymmetries in  $B \rightarrow h^+ h^-$
  - $\gamma$ :  $B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s K$

## Triggers

### D0 Di-Muon

- ❖  $p_T^\mu > 3.5 \text{ GeV}/c, |\eta^\mu| < 1$
- ❖  $p_T^\mu > 2 - 2.5 \text{ GeV}/c, 1 < |\eta^\mu| \leq 2$

### CDF Di-Muon

- ❖  $p_T^\mu > 1.5 \text{ GeV}/c, |\eta^\mu| \leq 1$

### CDF Lepton + (displaced track)

- ❖  $\mu^\pm: p_T > 4 \text{ GeV}/c, |\eta| \leq 1$
- ❖  $e^\pm: p_T > 4 \text{ GeV}/c, |\eta| \leq 1.5$
- ❖ SVT:  $p_T > 2 \text{ GeV}/c, d_0 > 120\mu\text{m}$

### CDF Two-track trigger

- ❖ SVT:  $p_T > 2 \text{ GeV}/c, d_0 > 100\mu\text{m}, \delta\varphi \text{ cut}$

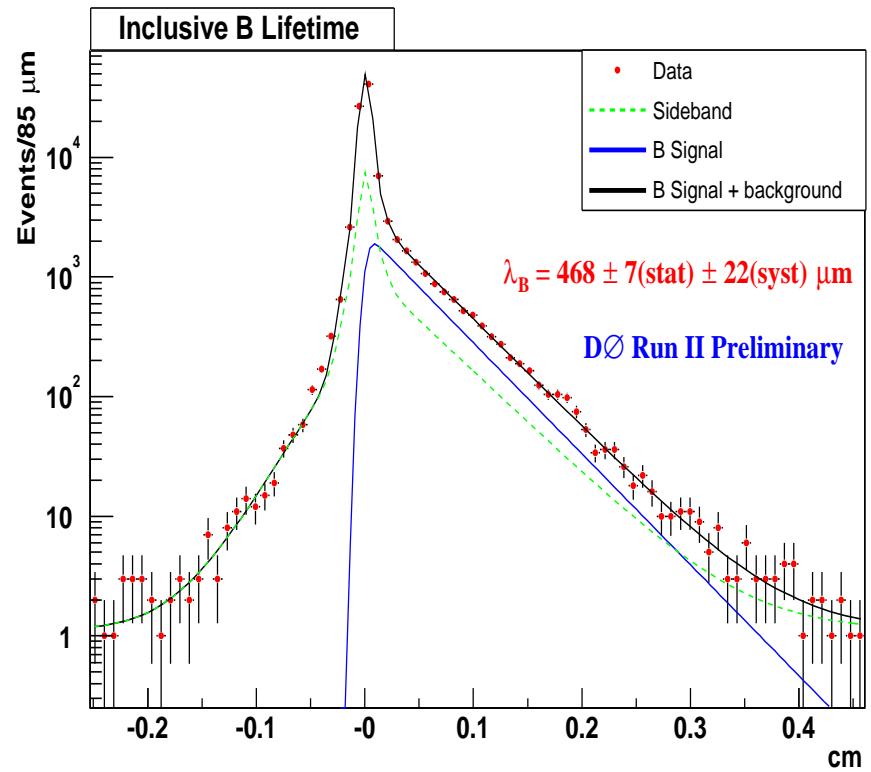
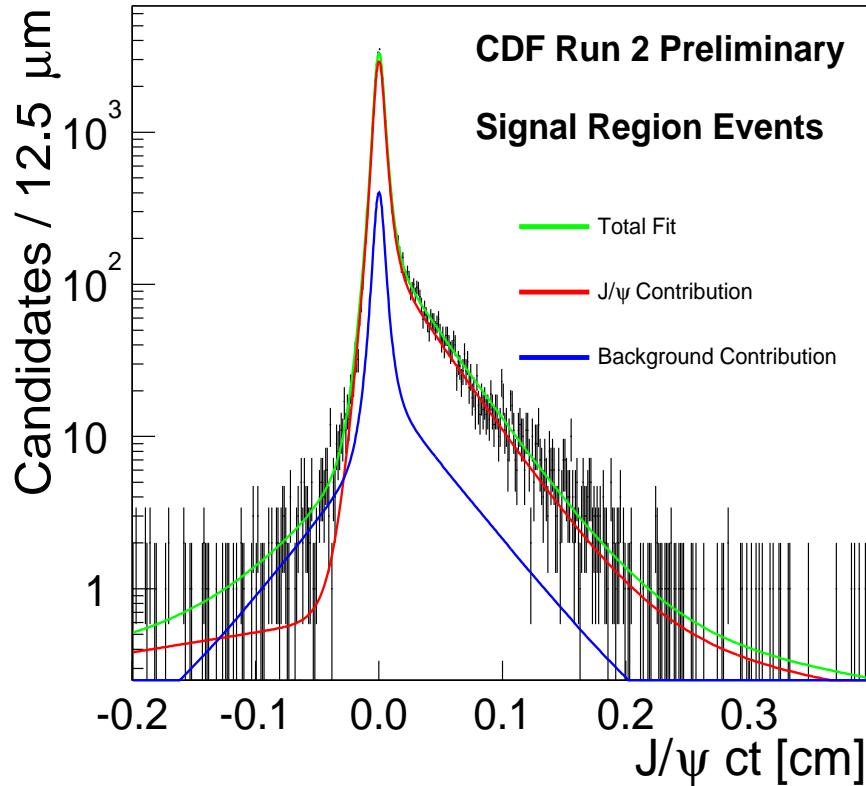
**Silicon Vertex Trigger  
(cf. Andreas' talk)**

## Data sample

D0: results in this talk based on  $40-45 \text{ pb}^{-1}$  (Aug 2002-Jan 2003)

CDF: results in this talk based on  $60-70 \text{ pb}^{-1}$  (Feb 2002-Dec 2002)

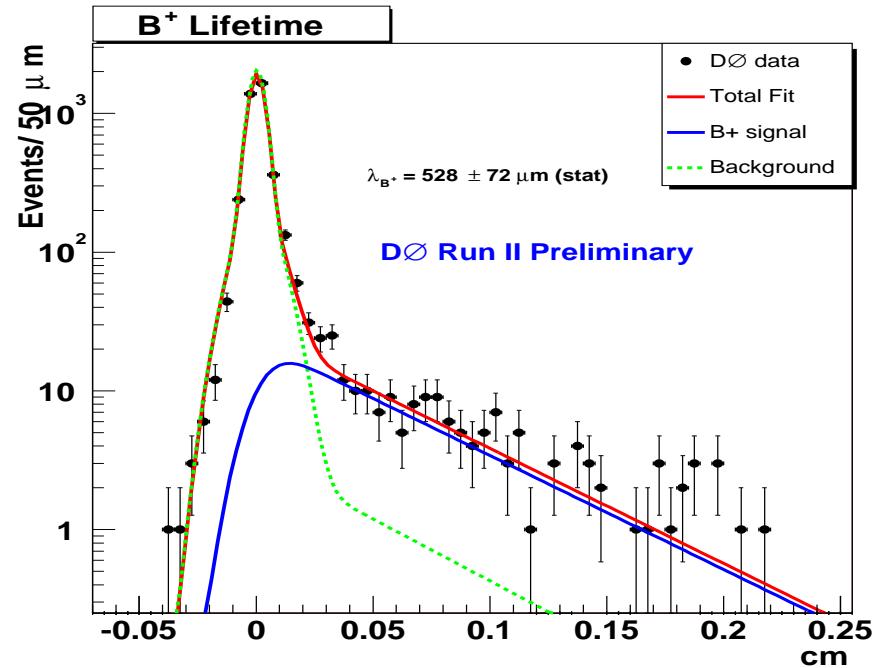
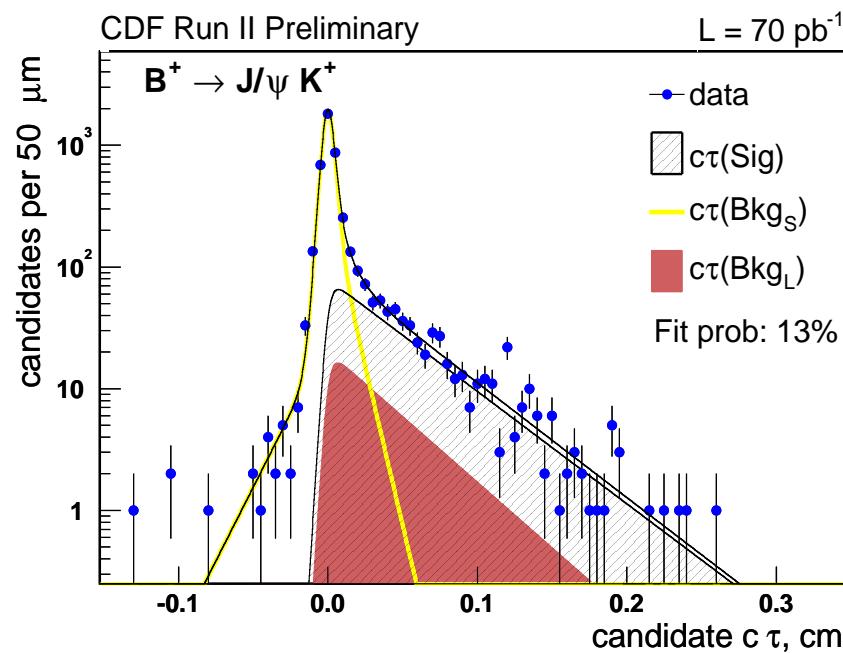
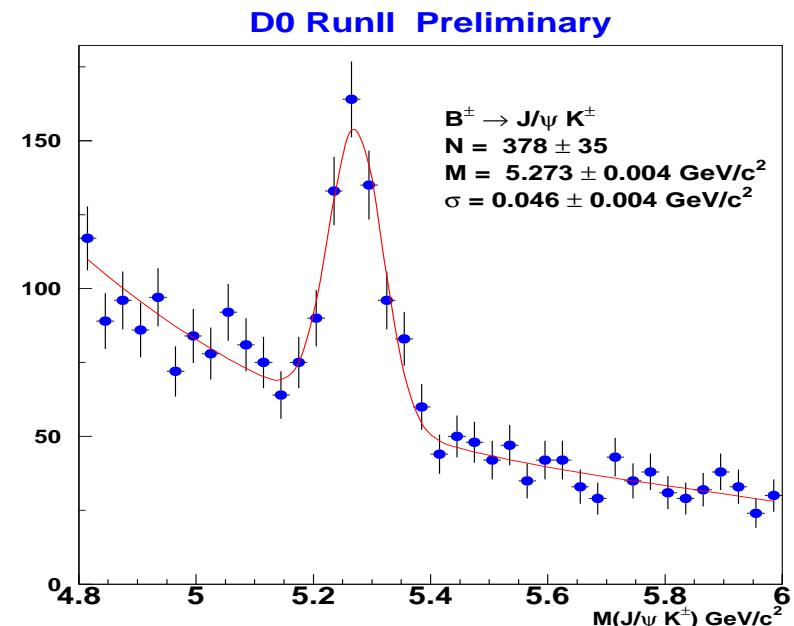
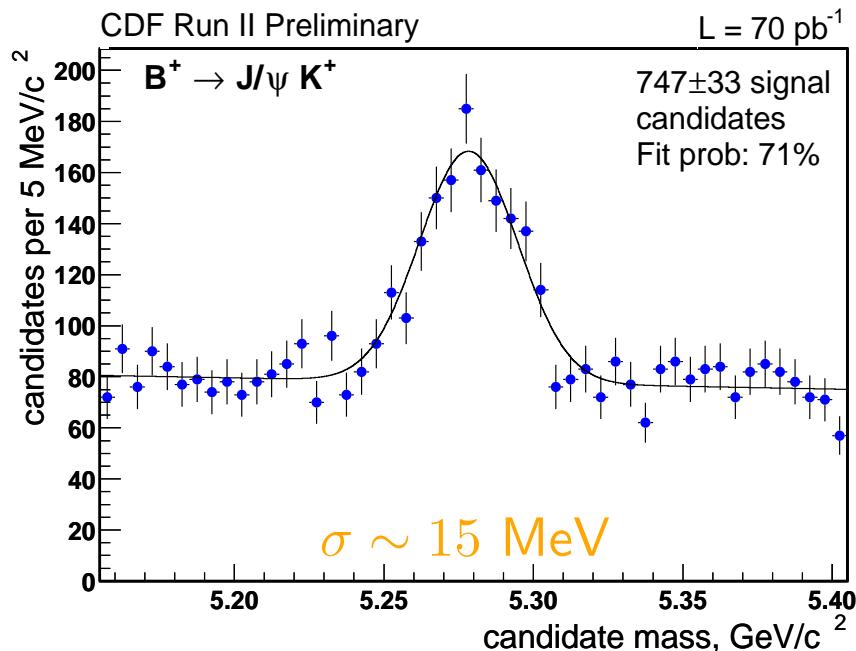
# Di-muon: $B$ inclusive lifetime



- ❖ based on the decay length  $L = \beta\gamma ct = \frac{p_B}{m_B} ct$ ,  $\beta\gamma$  from Monte-Carlo
- ❖ systematics: resol. function, background modeling,  $\beta\gamma$  correction, alignment

CDF July 2002 (18 pb <sup>-1</sup> )	$\tau = 1.526 \pm 0.034(\text{stat.}) \pm 0.035(\text{syst.}) \text{ ps}$
D0 March 2003 (40 pb <sup>-1</sup> )	$\tau = 1.561 \pm 0.024(\text{stat.}) \pm 0.074(\text{syst.}) \text{ ps}$
PDG 2002	$\tau = 1.564 \pm 0.014 \text{ ps}$

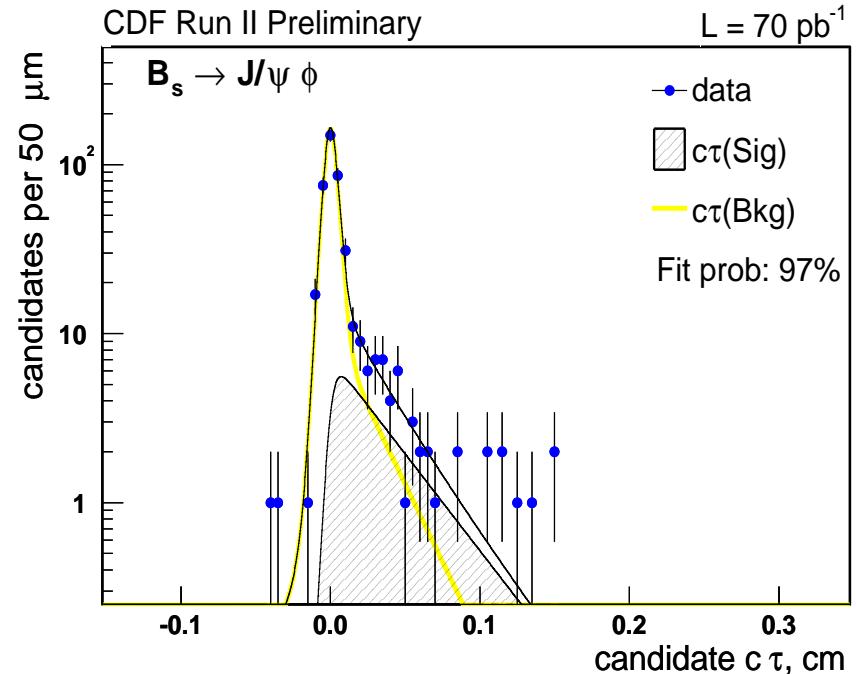
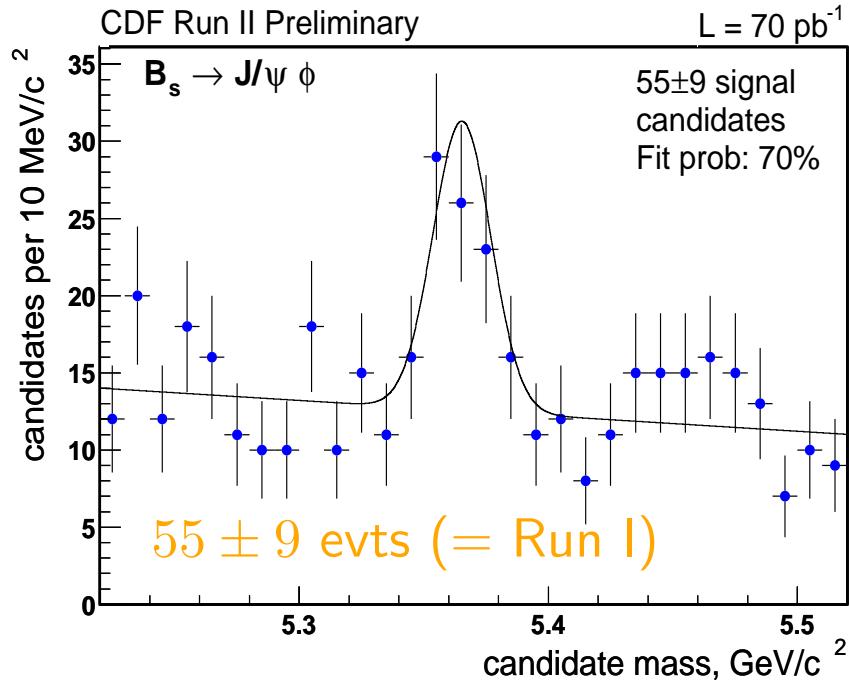
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$\Rightarrow B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi K^+$  and  $B^0 \rightarrow J/\psi K^{*0}$ : control sample for systematics.

$\Rightarrow$  Measurements:  $\tau(B_s)$ ,  $\tau(B^0)/\tau(B^+)$ ,  $\tau(B_s)/\tau(B_d)$ , (+  $\beta_s$  phase)



## CDF results

$$\begin{aligned}\tau_{B^+} &= 1.57 \pm 0.07 \text{ (stat.)} \pm 0.02 \text{ (syst.) ps} \\ \tau_{B^0} &= 1.42 \pm 0.09 \text{ (stat.)} \pm 0.02 \text{ (syst.) ps} \\ \tau_{B_s} &= 1.26 \pm 0.20 \text{ (stat.)} \pm 0.02 \text{ (syst.) ps}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\tau_{B^+}/\tau_{B^0} &= 1.11 \pm 0.09 \\ \tau_{B_s}/\tau_{B_d} &= 0.89 \pm 0.15\end{aligned}$$

# Di-muon: opposite-side tagging

Next step: tagging of the B flavor at production

## Opposite-side tagging:

- ❖ semileptonic decay of other  $B$ :  
 $b \rightarrow cl^-\bar{\nu}$
- ❖ jet charge:  $\sum Q_i p_T^i$
- ❖ kaon tagging

## Figures of merit:

$$\epsilon = \frac{N_{correct} + N_{wrong}}{N_{correct} + N_{wrong} + N_{notag}}$$

$$D = \frac{N_{correct} - N_{wrong}}{N_{correct} + N_{wrong}}$$

- ❖ tag always right:  $D = 1$
- ❖ tag right 50% of the time:  $D = 0$

Effective tagging efficiency:  $\epsilon D^2$

## D0 Run-II Preliminary

### Soft Muon Tagging

- ❖ highest  $p_T$  muon
- ❖  $\Delta R(\text{reconstructed } B) > 2$
- ❖  $p_T > 1.9 \text{ GeV}/c$

$$\begin{array}{llll} \epsilon & = & 8.2 & \pm 2.2\% \\ D & = & 63.9 & \pm 30.1\% \\ \epsilon D^2 & = & 3.3 & \pm 1.8\% \end{array}$$

### Jet Charge Tagging

- ❖ tracks away from the  $B$
- ❖  $|Q| > 0.2$

$$\begin{array}{llll} \epsilon & = & 55.1 & \pm 4.1\% \\ D & = & 21.0 & \pm 10.6\% \\ \epsilon D^2 & = & 2.4 & \pm 1.7\% \end{array}$$

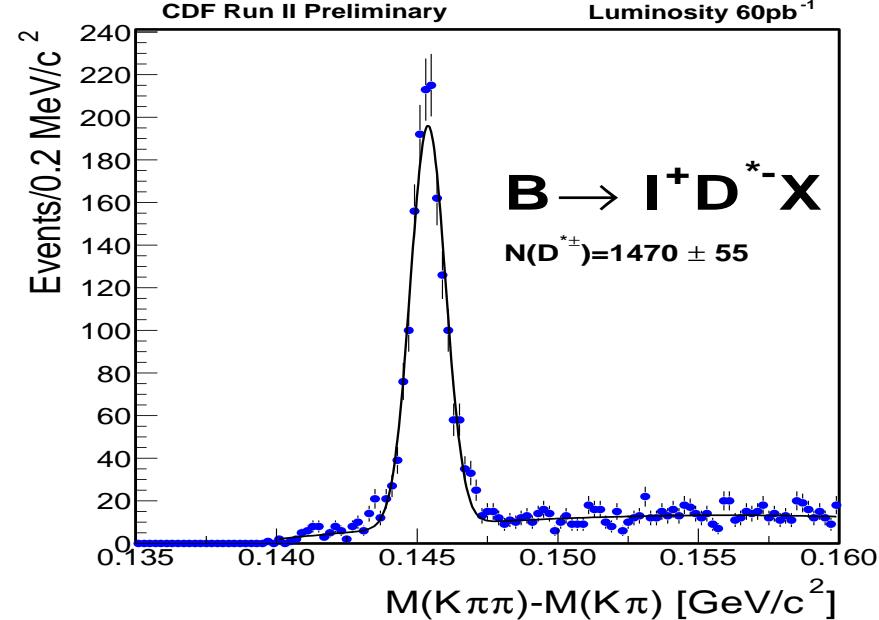
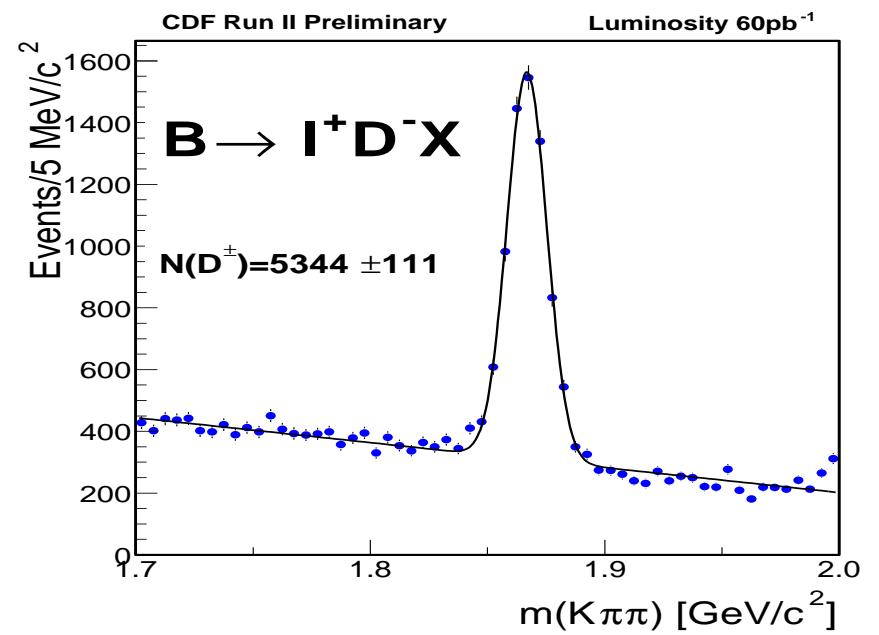
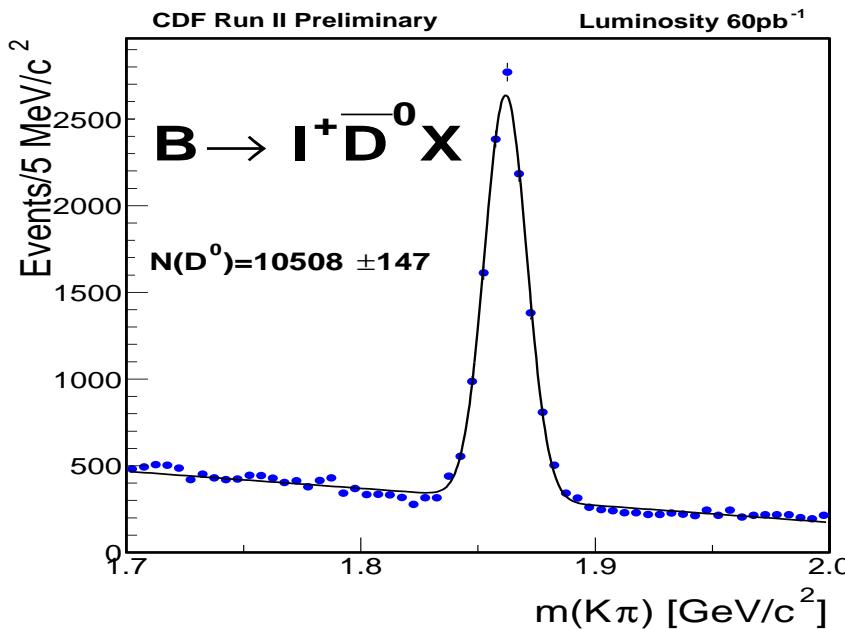
# Lepton + displaced track: semi-leptonic decays

Unbiased sample for tagging studies:

- ❖ flavor tagged
- ❖ high  $B$  contents
- ❖ large statistics

Measurements:

- ❖ lifetime measurements
- ❖ test of HQET+OPE (hadronic mass moments)



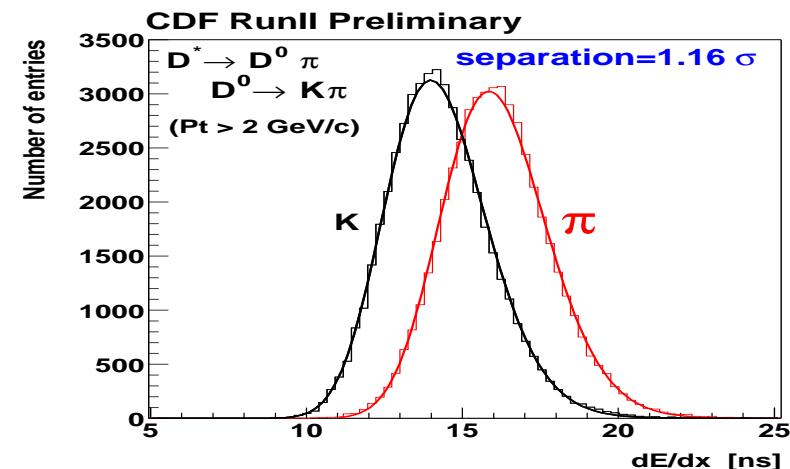
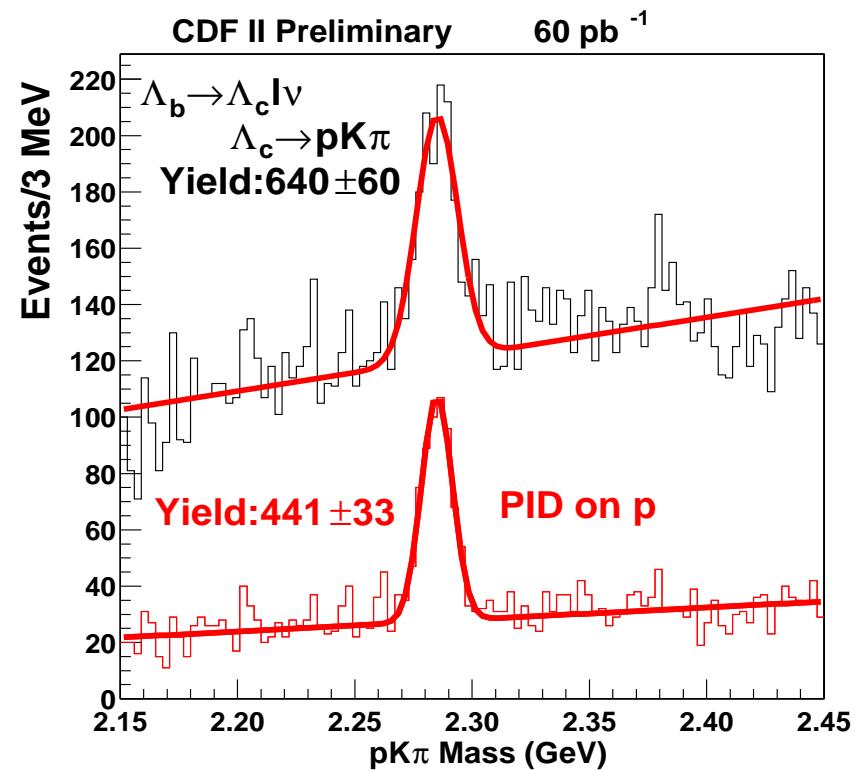
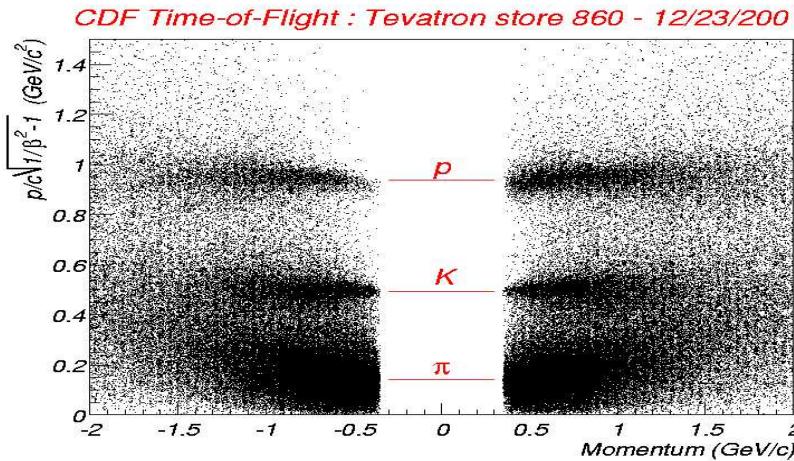
# Lepton + displaced track: $\Lambda_b$

## Measurement:

- ❖  $\Lambda_b$  lifetime
- ❖  $\Lambda_b$  branching ratios
- ❖ test of HQET (/ B)

## Proton ID:

- ❖  $dE/dx$  (drift chamber)
- ❖ TOF
- 100 ps @ 140 cm



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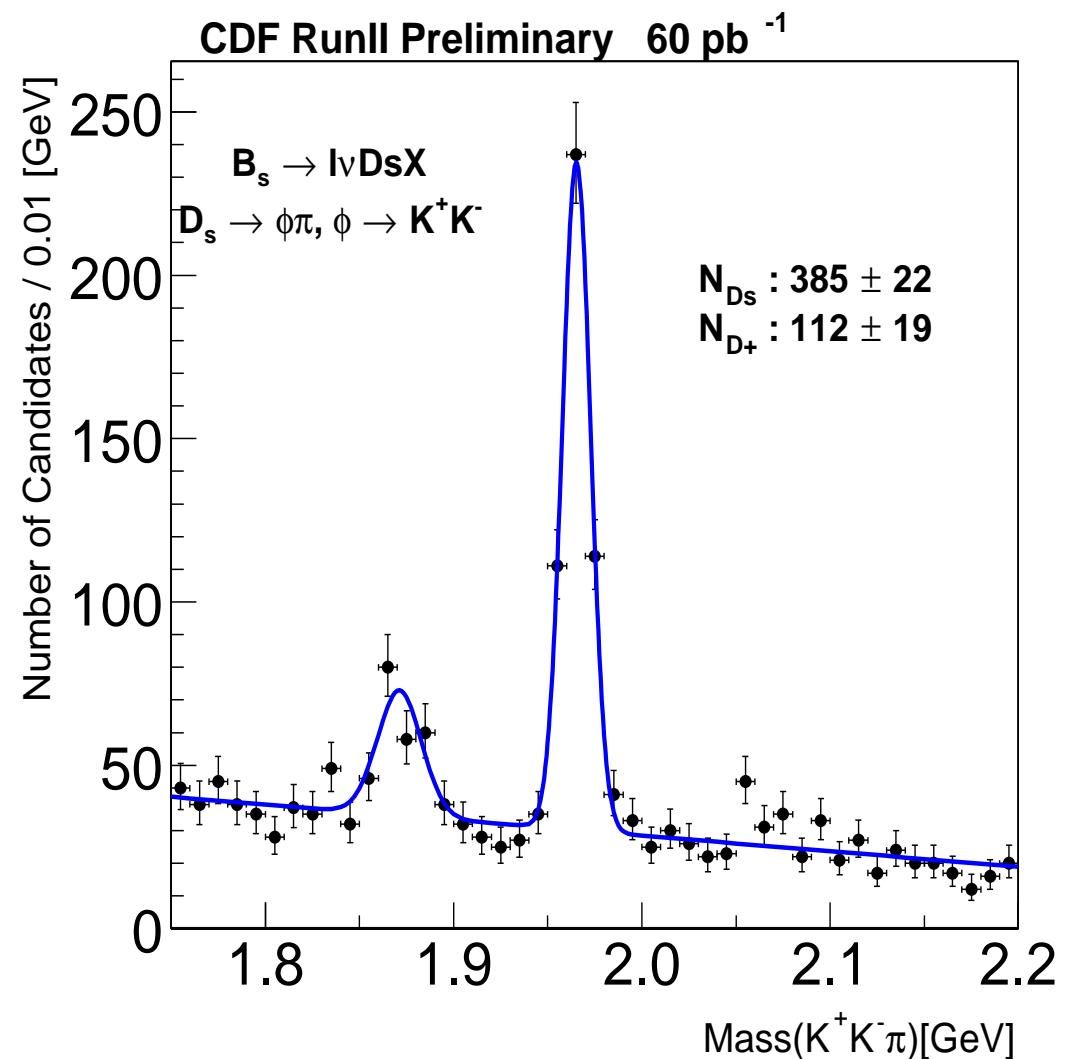
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# Lepton + displaced track: inclusive $B_s$

$$B_s \rightarrow D_s l \nu X \rightarrow [\phi \pi] l \nu X \rightarrow [[K^+ K^-] \pi] l \nu X$$

$385 \pm 22$

- ❖ high statistics
- ❖ lifetime  $\tau(B_s)/\tau(B_d)$
- ❖ mixing:
  - good  $S/N$
  - partial reconstruction
  - $\Rightarrow$  limited time resolution
  - $\Rightarrow$  for moderate  $x_s$
  - $\Rightarrow$  back-up sample



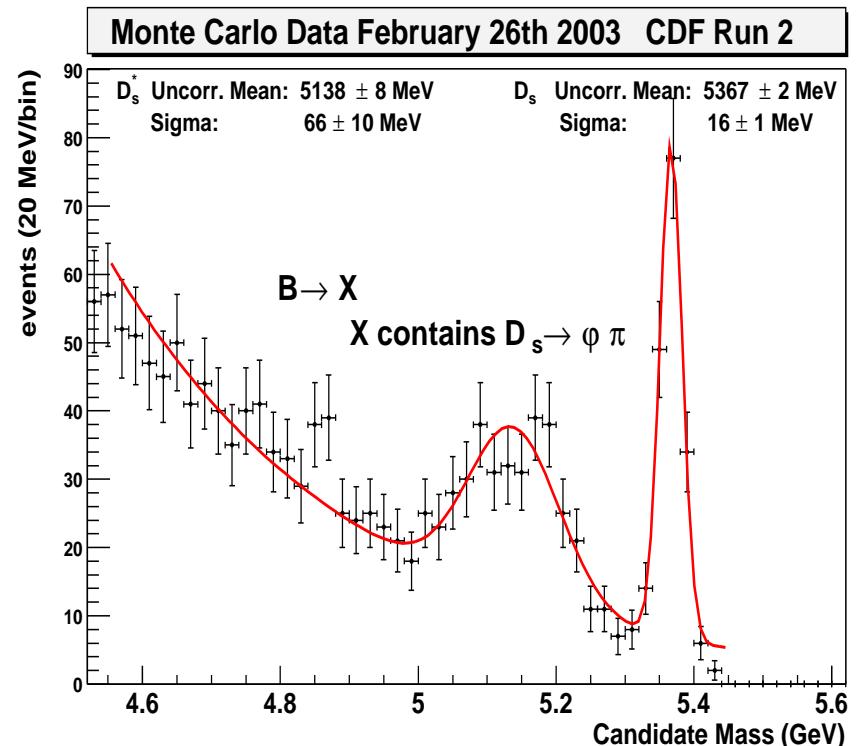
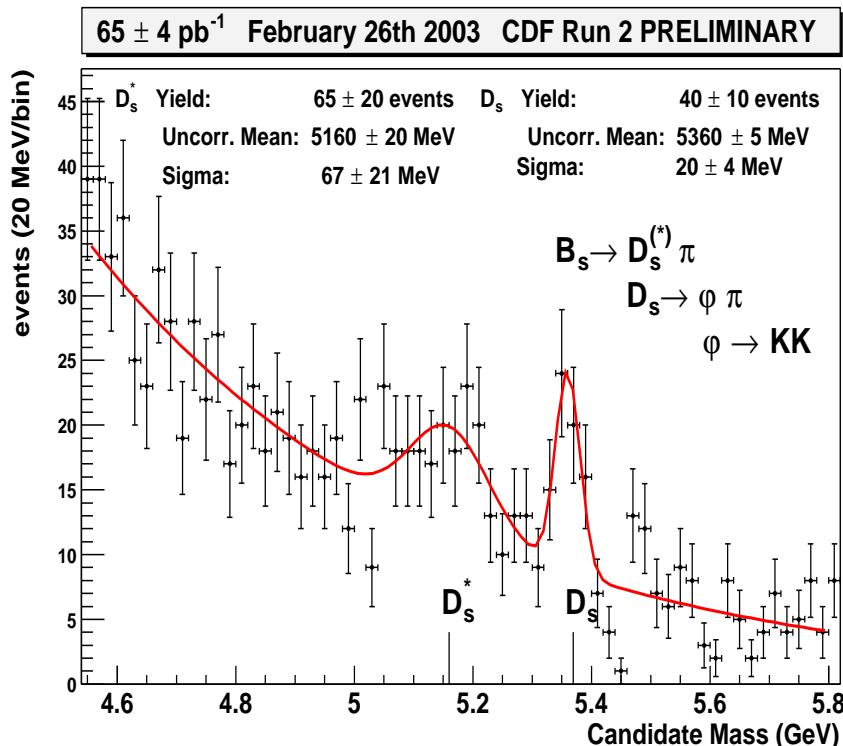
# Two-track trigger: $B_s$

$$B_s \rightarrow D_s^{(*)-} \pi^+, \quad B_s \rightarrow D_s^{(*)-} 3\pi, \quad B_s \rightarrow D_s^{(*)-} D_s^{(*)+}$$

- ❖ golden sample for  $B_s$  mixing: resolve fast oscill.
- ❖ already some channels fully reconstructed:  $40 \pm 10 D_s$ ,  $65 \pm 20 D_s^*$

$$B_s \rightarrow D_s \pi \rightarrow [\phi \pi] \pi \rightarrow [[K^+ K^-] \pi] \pi$$

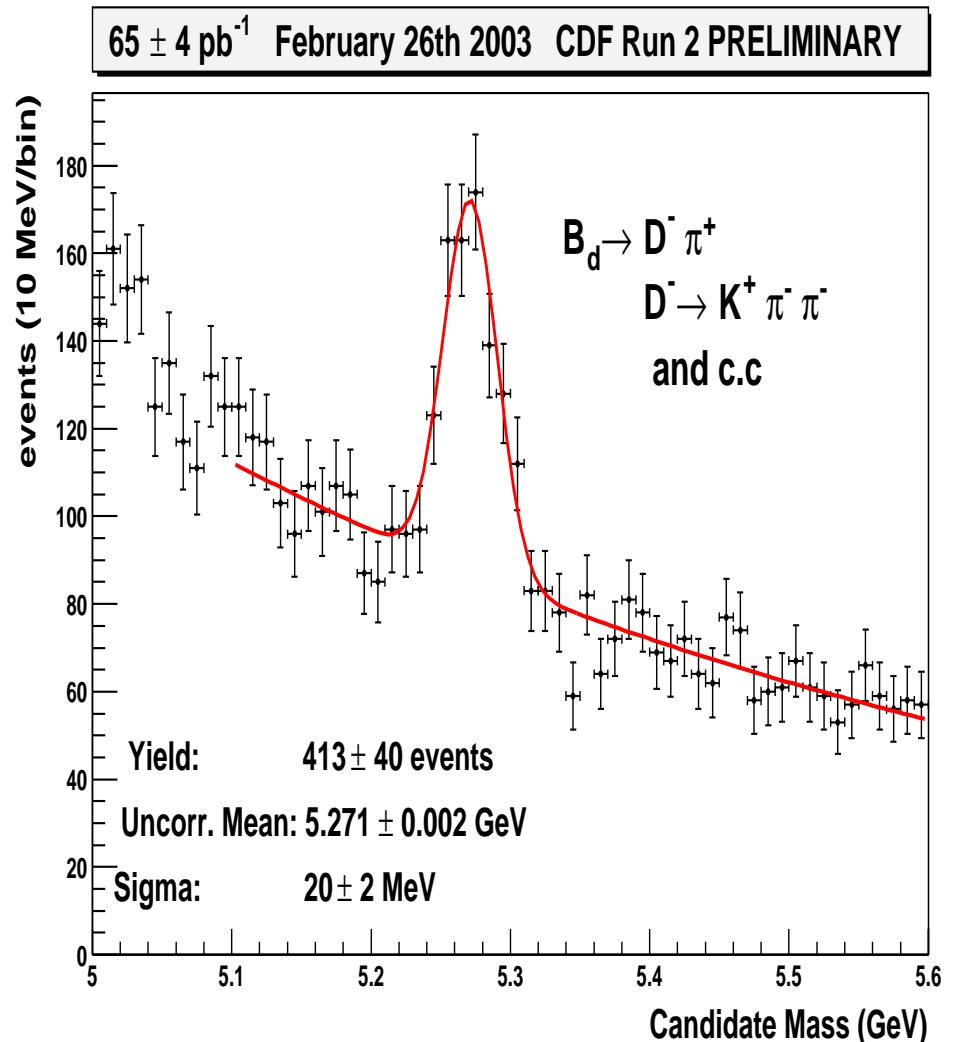
$$\text{MC}: B \rightarrow X \rightarrow D_s X \rightarrow [\phi \pi] X$$



# Two-track trigger: $B_s$

$$B^0 \rightarrow D^- \pi^+ \rightarrow [K^+ \pi^- \pi^-] \pi^+$$

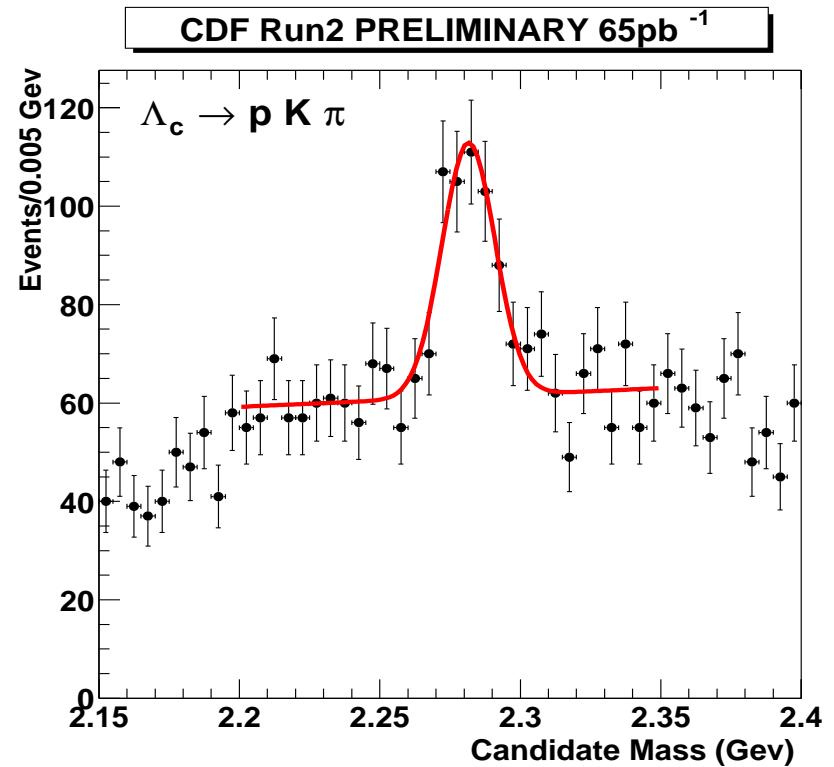
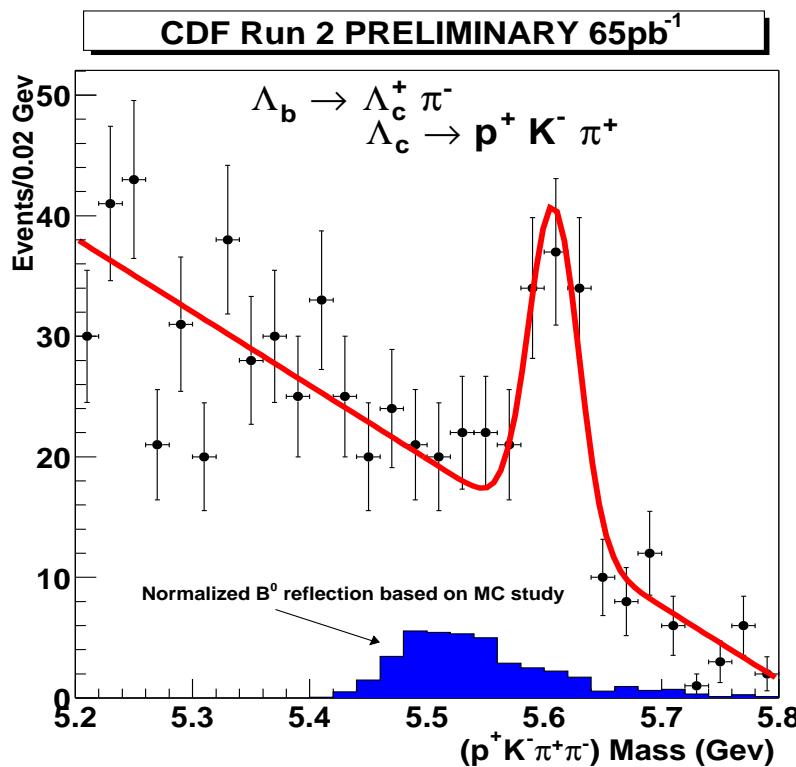
- ❖ control sample for  
 $B_s \rightarrow D_s^{(*)-} \pi^+$
- ❖  $B \rightarrow D\pi$  gives the normalization for  $B_s$  branching ratio
  - same trigger
  - same reconstruction



# Two-track trigger: $\Lambda_b$

$$\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ \pi^- \rightarrow [p^+ K^- \pi^+] \pi^-$$

- ❖ Lifetime and branching ratios
- ❖ No PID

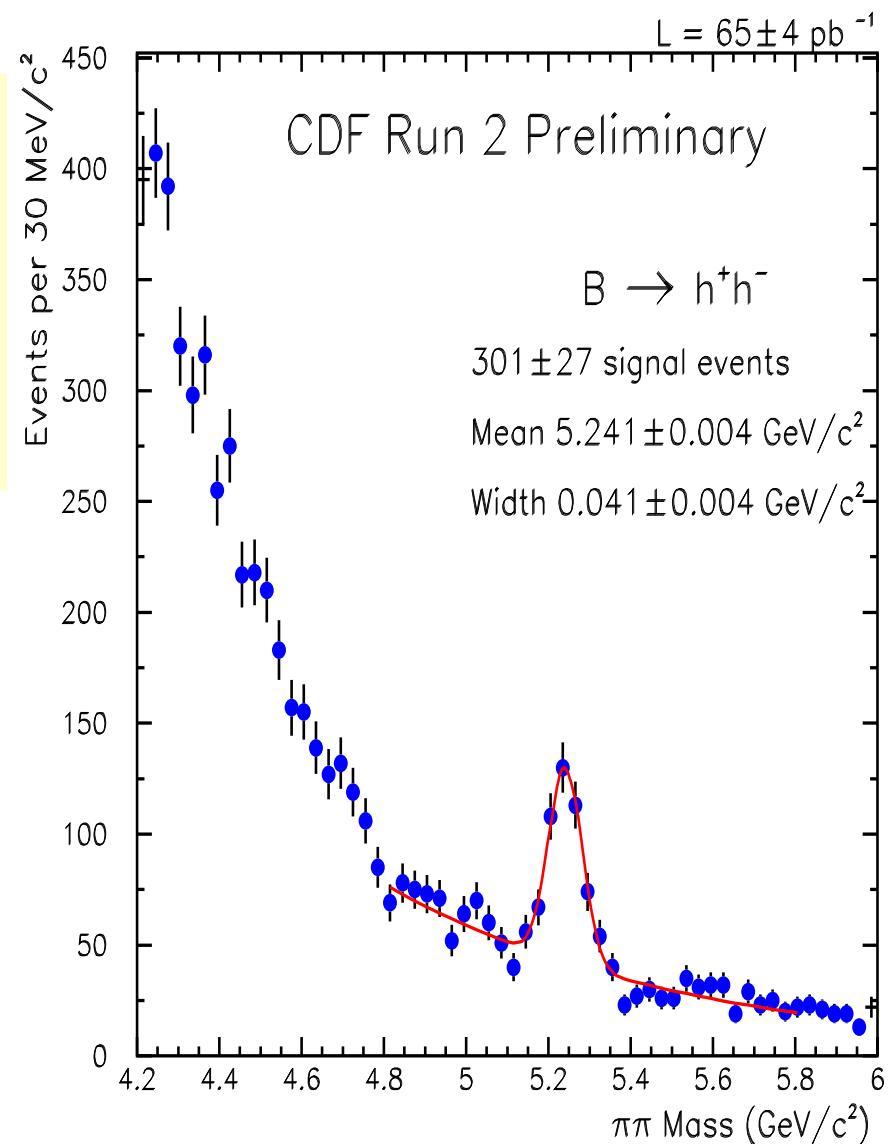


# Two-track trigger: $B \rightarrow h^+h^-$

$$B_d^0 \rightarrow K^+\pi^-, \pi^+\pi^-$$

$$\bar{B}_s^0 \rightarrow K^+K^-, K^+\pi^-$$

- ◆  $B^0 \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$ :  $\sin 2(\beta + \gamma)$
- ◆ however: penguin pollution
- ◆ measuring both  $B_d$  and  $B_s$
- ◆ very good signal/noise
- ◆ rates understood
- ◆ on-going: disentangle channels (kinematics +  $dE/dx$ )
- ◆ direct  $\mathcal{CP}$  in  $B_d \rightarrow K\pi$  ?



# Conclusion

Detectors understanding and calibration well advanced

Build-up confidence with exclusive  $B^+, B^0, \dots$

First almost competitive analyses:  $B_s$  mass, lifetime

Signals seen in many channels for flagship analyses, need more statistics

Displaced track trigger at CDF:

- ◆ a great success !
- ◆ very promising for hadronic decays
- ◆ many more uses ( $l + SVT, \dots$ )
- ◆ access to  $\Delta m_s$  via  $B_s \rightarrow D_s(3)\pi$
- ◆  $\Delta\Gamma_s$  via  $B_s \rightarrow D_s D_s$  (+  $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi\phi$ )

A lot of exciting physics !